

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5 77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590



REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

C-14J

September 12, 2002

VIA FACSIMILE (312)697-4799

Mr. Donald Schroud Schroud Realty 311 South Wacker Drive, Suite 4550 Chicago, Illinois 60606

Re: Removal Assessment At Property Located between 126th Street and 130th Street

Dear Mr. Schroud:

This letter confirms my voice mail message to you today that the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) and its contractor anticipate conducting the sampling of your property located between 126th Street and 130th Street, west of Avenue O and east of Torrance Avenue in Chicago, Illinois on Wednesday, September 18. If the work is delayed by inclement weather or for other reasons, the sampling would be rescheduled and we will notify you of the change.

As we have discussed, U.S. EPA will provide you with a copy of its sampling results. Also, please advise me as soon as possible if you wish to arrange for split samples of U.S. EPA's samples to conduct your own analyses. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please contact me at (312)886-0510, if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Randa Bishlawi

Associate Regional Counsel

cc: Michael Collins, SE-5J Milagros Bensing, SE-5J